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| a Gaming Machine with a Secured Audio   | ) | an envelope addressed to Commissioner for        |
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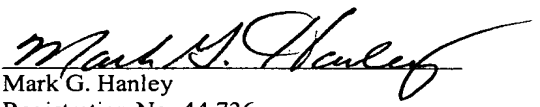
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Sir:

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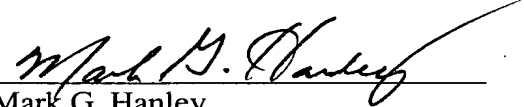
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**SELL, ASSIGN AND TRANSFER** to Anchor Gaming ("ASSIGNEE"), a corporation of the state of Nevada having a place of business at 815 Pilot Road, Suite G, Las Vegas, Nevada 89119, the entire right, title and interest for the United States and all foreign countries in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the Application for United States Letters Patent, which has been executed by each undersigned ASSIGNOR concurrently herewith and is entitled **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PLAYING A GAMING MACHINE WITH A SECURED AUDIO CHANNEL**, such application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue and all other applications for patent or the legal equivalent thereof which have been or may be filed in the United States and all foreign countries relating to any of such improvements; all original, reexamined and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries on such improvements; and specifically including the right to file foreign applications under the provisions of any convention or treaty and claim priority based on such application made in the United States;

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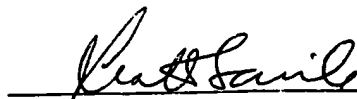
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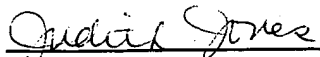
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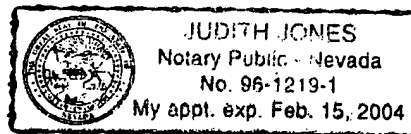
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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2001, personally appeared Charlotte S. Centuori, personally known or proven by satisfactory documentary evidence to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.



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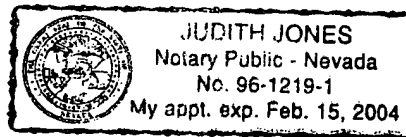
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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2001, personally appeared Leslie H. Sarile, personally known or proven by satisfactory documentary evidence to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

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